

Grand Rapids, Wisconsin, Wednesday, July 24th, 1912

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On account of the backward season, we have on our hands larger assortments of Millinery than we ought to carry at this time of year. In order to effect a quick and thorough clearance, we offer any Ladies' or Child's Hat for A ONE DOLLAR BILL. These hats are worth up to \$7.00, and are all new, fashionable, desirable and the season's smartest styles. Remember, you cannot buy one of these hats unless you bring A ONE DOLLAR BILL—no other money will be accepted. We must have the

Friday, Saturday and Monday, July 26th, 27th and 29th.

These hats are sure to be snapped up in a jiffy. Accordingly, if you wish to share in this rare opportunity and want to secure first choice and best selection come promptly and bring A ONE DOLLAR BILL. No other money goes. Only One Hat to a Customer.

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Would You Like a Home of Your Own, and Stop That Rent?

If you would, we have just the place you are looking for. It is a good 7 room house. Has large barn and four or six lots. Plenty of ground for small fruit and garden and an ideal place to raise chickens. You can buy this place at almost your own price, and at almost your own terms. Only a very small amount required down. You can pay the balance monthly or quarterly, just as you like.

The property is located on South 3rd Street. In easy walking distance to the business section of the town, and to the schools. If you are interested in owning a home like this, see

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PAID ADVERTISEMENT.

(The following articles are paid for at the rate of one cent a word by the person whose names follow the notices.)

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NEW HISTORY OF WOOD COUNTY, WIS.

A valuable work in the preparation of a new "History of Wood County, Past and Present," which promises to be a work of a superior order, to be edited by Judge J. A. Gwynor of Grand Rapids.

The Judge has been a resident of Wood County for about forty years. He has a large acquaintance throughout the county and is well versed in its history, having made a study for a number of years.

The history will date from the days of the Indians and the first pioneer settlers and show the development of the county to the present time. It will speak of the organization of the county, of its churches, schools, manufacturing industries, public institutions, railroad and agricultural interests, etc.

The work will appear in two large volumes, artistically printed, beautifully illustrated and substantially bound. The first volume will be devoted to general history, edited by Judge Gwynor.

The second volume will consist of biographies and personal sketches, and will be under the control of the publishers, the S. J. Clarke Publishing Co., of Chicago, Ill., one of the old reliable publishing houses of that city. It will contain biographical sketches and family history of prominent and representative citizens throughout the county, and hand down the posterity records that will be invaluable.

The old settlers are fast passing away, and it behooves those of us who are still living to put into permanent form for coming generations the important facts and a suitable story of the heroic deeds of our ancestors. It will be a stimulus to the present and younger generations to know what has been accomplished through the hardships and privations endured by the rugged and brave pioneers in order that we might witness and enjoy the grand development of our county as it appears today. Such a history is greatly needed and should be encouraged, as no complete history of this county has ever been published.

Increase in State Insanity.
The total insane population of the state, including persons in the hospitals, for the fiscal year ending the last day of June, was 6,893, as against 6,763 last year, an increase of 130.

On the basis of those statistics, compiled by the state board of control, there is one insane person out of approximately every 350 of the state's total population. Forty-two per cent of the insane are women, and 58 per cent are men. The total population of patients in the hospitals for insanity is 1,831. In the county asylums the population of insane patients is 5,062, making 6,893 that are receiving treatment under public care.

At the close of June there were 4,076 persons in state institutions, as indicated by the following list:

State insane asylum, 598; Northern Hospital for Insane, 608; school for deaf, 167; school for blind, 80; industrial school for boys, 300; state prison at Wausau, 738; state public school, 144; home for feeble minded, 1,001; state reformatory, 262; tuberculosis sanitarium, 123. Total, 4,076.

Election Expenses.
The following election expense accounts have been filed by the various candidates for County Offices to date:

FOR COUNTY CLERK.

F. H. Eberhardt, \$7.94
Geo. W. Davis, \$23.20
Bert McLees, \$10.64
W. H. Reeves, \$7.90

FOR COUNTY TREASURER.

Nate Anderson, \$6.30
C. E. Wadman, \$1.00
John Cepress, \$12.30
Martin Pyl, \$7.79

FOR SHERIFF.

Lawrence Schalkowsky, \$6.69
Julian T. Welch, \$5.20
A. J. Cowell, \$6.25

FOR REGISTER OF DEEDS.

Henry Ebbe, \$12.86
Geo. L. Ward, \$3.00
F. J. Deokert, \$11.75

FOR CLERK OF THE COURT.

Guy R. Getts, \$7.24

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Chas. E. Briere, \$14.25

Telephone Girl Injured.
Miss Stella Kinister was knocked senseless Tuesday morning by a flash of lightning while engaged in operating at the local board in the Wood County Telephone Company's office.

She was given medical attention at once and soon regained consciousness, although dazed by the shock for some time.

Miss Kinister is employed as long distance operator, but was working at the local board at the time of the accident. There had been no lightning for some time that morning and also it was raining the flash that came was wholly unexpected.

BIRTHS

A son to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Benson.

A daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Boyer, July 21.

A daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Knoll, July 18th.

A daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Glutz, July 23rd.

A son to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jahnke of the west side on Tuesday, July 23.

For Sale.

5 tested ows freshening this fall, 3 young Holstein bulls, 5 year J. H. mare and 2 year old colt.

Merriam, at Whip-Poor-Will, lodge, one mile west of packing plant, 35 p.

—See W. M. Taylor at the Hotel Julien, if you would like to own a home of your own, on easy payments. See advertisement in this paper for description.

Went to Stevens Point.

Many of our citizens journeyed to Stevens Point Sunday to witness the aviation meet.

Some went by train and others by automobile, and the result was that when the dinner hour came there were about as many present from Grand Rapids as anywhere else.

Anybody who traveled to Stevens Point expecting to see a program such as was advertised carried out, was disappointed. If he expected a flock of aeroplanes circling around thru space like a lot of barn swallows just before a thunderstorm, it is probable that he was inclined to pronounce the thing a fake. While one swallow does not make a summer, it seems that one aeroplane does make a "meat", so there was a meet at Stevens Point.

The first thing on the program was a baseball game between the Bismarck of Green Bay and the Stevens Point team.

The Green Bay team did not get a lookin, the score being 7 to 0 at the end of the game.

Then there were two autos that ran around the track in quite a spirited manner, after which the aeroplanes went up. While it was not a very long flight that the man made, it was a very nice one, and he went up and landed again without a mishap, and everybody was pleased.

There was a big crowd out, probably 2500 people, and the affair was a most successful one.

Sounding for Water.

A number of drive wells were sunk last week on the Webb property on the east side and in order to test the amount of water that could be obtained there the fire engine was connected onto them and kept running all the afternoon.

The engine pumped at the rate of 150 gallons per minute. It being impossible to run faster than this speed, owing to a certain amount of air in the pipes. By means of a float it was ascertained that this lowered the water in the well about three feet, after which it remained stationary, indicating that the water ran in as fast as it was pumped out.

It was the opinion of those engaged in the work that an abundance of water could be obtained by putting down a large number of points. The water was clear and cold and would have been first class for domestic use.

Reusswig-Johnson.

This afternoon at two o'clock occurred the marriage of Miss Anna Josephine Reusswig of Wausau, Minn., to the Rev. Herbert B. Johnson of this city, the wedding to occur at Zion Moravian church at Wausau.

Rev. Johnson is well known in this city, having been pastor of the Scandinavian Moravian church here for several years past, and during his residence here has made many friends both in the church and out of it who will wish him and his bride a long and happy wedded life. The Tribune wishes with those in extending congratulations.</

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Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Giese of the town of Grand Rapids are mourning the death of their infant son, Donald, who died on the 11th instant from an attack of scarlet fever. The little fellow was 2 years, 5 months and 1 day old, and was one of a pair of twins. Mr. and Mrs. Giese have the sympathy of their many friends in their sad affliction.

NEW HISTORY OF WOOD COUNTY, WIS.

A valuable work is being undertaken in the preparation of a new "History of Wood County, Past and Present," which promises to be a work of a superior order, to be edited by Judge J. A. Gaylor of Grand Rapids.

The Judge has been a resident of Wood County for about forty years. He has a large acquaintance throughout the county and is well versed in its history, having made a study for a number of years. The history will date from the days of the Indians and the first pioneer settlers and show the development of the county to the present time. It will speak of the organization of the county, of its churches, schools, manufacturing industries, public institutions, railroad and agricultural interests, etc.

The work will appear in two large volumes, artistically printed, beautifully illustrated and substantially bound. The first volume will be devoted to general history, edited by Judge Gaylor. The second volume will consist of biographies and personal sketches, and will be under the control of the publishers, the S. J. Clarke Publishing Co., of Chicago, Ill., one of the old reliable publishing houses of that city. It will contain biographical sketches and family history of prominent and representative citizens throughout the county, and hand down the posterity records that will be invaluable.

The old settlers are fast passing away, and it behooves those of us who are still living to put into permanent form for coming generations the important facts and a reliable story of the heroic deeds of our ancestors. It will be a stimulus to the present and younger generations to know what has been accomplished through the hardships and privations endured by the rugged and brave pioneers in order that we might witness and enjoy the grand development of our county as it appears today. Such a history is greatly needed, and should be encouraged, as no complete history of this county has ever been published.

Increase in State Insanity.

The total insane population of the state including persons in the hospitals for the insane and the county hospitals, for the fiscal year ending the last day of June, was 6,893, as against 6,703 last year, an increase of 190. On the basis of these statistics, compiled by the state board of control, there is one insane person out of approximately every 380 of the state's total population. Forty-two per cent of the insane are women, and 58 per cent are men. The total population of patients in the hospitals for insane is 1,831. In the county asylums the population of insane patients is 5,062, making 6,893 that are receiving treatment under public care.

At the close of June there were 4,076 persons in state institutions, as indicated by the following list:

State insane asylum, 698; Northern Hospital for Insane, 693; School for Deaf, 107; school for blind, 80; industrial school for boys, 389; state prison at Waupun, 738; state public school, 144; home for feeble minded, 1,001; state reformatory, 262; tuberculosis sanitarium, 128. Total, 4,076.

Election Expenses.

The following election expense accounts have been filed by the various candidates for County Offices to date:

FOR COUNTY CLERK.

F. H. Eberhardt, \$7.94
Geo. W. Davis, \$2.20
Bert McLees, 10.64
W. H. Reeves, 7.00

FOR COUNTY TREASURER.

Nate Anderson, \$6.30
O. E. Waterman, 4.09
John Oepres, 12.30
Martin Pyl, 7.79

FOR SHERIFF.

Lawrence Schudnowsky, \$6.69
Julius T. Welch, 5.20
A. J. Cowell, 6.26

FOR REGISTER OF DEEDS.

Henry Ebbe, \$12.88
Geo. L. Ward, 3.30
F. J. Decker, 11.75

FOR CLERK OF THE COURT.

Guy B. Getta, \$7.24

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Chas. E. Biers, \$14.25

Telephone Girl Injured.

Miss Stella Kinstler was knocked senseless Tuesday morning by a flash of lightning while engaged in operating at the local board in the Wood County Telephone Company's office. She was given medical attention at once and soon regained consciousness, although dazed by the shock for some time.

Miss Kinstler is employed as long distance operator, but was working at the local board at the time of the accident. There had been no lightning for some time that morning and although it was raining the flash that came was wholly unexpected.

BIRTHS

A son to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Benson.

A daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Bever, July 21.

A daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Knoll, July 18th.

A daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gleue, July 23rd.

A son to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jankne of the west side on Tuesday, July 23.

For Sale.

—5 tested cows freshening this fall, 3 young Holstein bulls, 5 year old mare and 2 year old colt. J. H. Merrill, at Whip-Poor-Will lodge, one mile west of packing plant.—St p

—See W. M. Taylor at the Hotel Julien, if you would like to own a home of your own, on easy payments. See advertisement in this paper for description.

Went to Stevens Point.

Many of our citizens journeyed to Stevens Point on Sunday to witness the aviation meet. Some went by train and others by automobile, and the result was that when the dinner bell rang there were about as many present from Grand Rapids as any where else.

Anybody who traveled to Stevens Point expecting to see a program such as was advertised carried out, was disappointed. If he expected a flock of aeroplanes careering around thru space like a lot of barn swallows just before a thunderstorm, it is probable that he was inclined to pronounce the thing a fake. While one swallow does not make a summer, it seems that one aeroplane does make a "meet", so there was a meet at Stevens Point.

The first thing on the program was a baseball game between the Bismarcks of Green Bay and the Stevens Point team. The Green Bay team did not get a lookin, the score being 7 to 0 at the end of the game.

Then there were two autos that ran around the track in quite a spirited manner, after which the aeroplanes went up. While it was not a very long flight that the man made, it was a very nice one, and he went up and landed again without a mishap, and everybody was pleased.

There was a big crowd out, probably 2500 people, and the affair was a most successful one.

Sounding for Water.

A number of drive wells were sunk last week on the Webb property on the east side and in order to test the amount of water that could be obtained there the fire engine was connected onto them and kept running all the afternoon.

The engine pumped at the rate of 150 gallons per minute, it being impossible to run faster than this speed, owing to a certain amount of air in the pipes. By means of a float it was ascertained that this lowered the water in the soil about three feet, after which it remained stationary, indicating that the water ran in as fast as it was pumped out.

It was the opinion of those engaged in the work that an abundance of water could be obtained by putting down a large number of points. The water was clear and cold and would have been first class for domestic use.

Reusswig-Johnson.

This afternoon at two o'clock occurred the marriage of Miss Anna Josephine Reusswig of Wisconsin, Minn., to the Rev. Herbert B. Johnson of this city, the wedding to occur at Zion Moravian church at Wausau.

Rev. Johnson is well known in this city, having been pastor of the Scandinavian Moravian church here for several years past, and during his residence here has made many friends both in the church and out of it who will wish him and his bride a long and happy wedded life. The Tribune unites with those in extending congratulations.

To Revive Juvenile Band.

Dan Ellis intends to reorganize the juvenile band in this city, and with this end in view a meeting will be held at the west side city hall on Thursday evening.

Those interested in the matter are requested to be present. It does not matter if you have never played an instrument, as this will be a good chance to learn, as there will be a class for beginners.

Don't forget the day and date, Thursday, July 26th.

Scandinavian Moravian Church.

The Rev. O. Ingelbright will conduct Scandinavian services Sunday morning. No preaching services will be held on the first two Sundays in August. The Sunday school will meet as usual however. No meeting of the Ladies Aid society will be held during August. During the pastor's absence, July 22 to August 16, the Rev. O. A. Wallicke will attend to the pastor's duties in the congregation.

Who Wants It?

—80 acre improved farm, all under cultivation, situated midway between three good markets, in center of rich farming community. Good buildings, 3 miles from city of 1100, 1/2 mile from school house, 3/4 mile to mill. Owner desires to retire because of advanced age. Can be had on easy terms. If interested write at once to Hind & Leitch Land Agency, New Lisbon, Wis.

Each Takes a Game.

The Grand Rapids baseball team played at Merrill on Saturday and Sunday and the result was that each team took one. Grand Rapids won on Saturday by a score of 2 to 0 and Merrill won on Sunday, the score being 8 to 2.

The team played at Tomahawk on Monday, the game resulting in a victory for Grand Rapids by a score of 2 to 0.

Grand Theater Sold.

Charles Waterman of this city and Peter Mitchell of Chippewa Falls have purchased the Grand Theater from H. H. Hoyt and will operate the place hereafter. The theater will be run along the same lines as heretofore, and it will be the endeavor of the new proprietors to put on the same high class of entertainments as has been the rule in the past.

Merrill to Play Here.

The Merrill baseball team will be here next Saturday and Sunday to play two games with the Grand Rapids boys. They should be good games as the teams are pretty evenly matched, each having won one game when they played together last week.

—Look over the advertisement concerning pecanies by the Johnson & Hill Company.

Would You Like a Home of Your Own, and Stop That Rent?

If you would, we have just the place you are looking for. It is a good 7 room house. Has large barn and four or six lots. Plenty of ground for small fruit and garden and an ideal place to raise chickens. You can buy this place at almost your own price, and at almost your own terms. Only a very small amount required down. You can pay the balance monthly or quarterly, just as you like.

The property is located on South 3rd Street. In easy walking distance to the business section of the town, and to the schools. If you are interested in owning a home like this, see

W. M. TAYLOR

Hotel Julien,

Grand Rapids, Wis.

SENATE HITS TAFT

PRESIDENT REBUKED WHEN
BAILEY RESOLUTION IS ADOPTED
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TEXAN CLASHES WITH BORAH

Southern Senator Bitterly Attacks
Chief Executive—Attacks Colonel
Roosevelt in His Extended Speech—
Says Latter Slandered Him.

Washington, July 18.—The senate by a vote of 35 to 23 adopted a resolution of Senator Bailey's resolution declaring any attempt on the part of a president to influence the vote of any senator upon any question a violation of the spirit of the Constitution, after discussion which lasted nearly the entire day Tuesday.

The resolution was prompted by President Taft's interference in the Lorimer case as shown by his letter to Theodore Roosevelt last January and revealed in a speech he made in London last April.

Senator Bailey made this letter the basis of a scathing denunciation of the president for interfering with the constitutional rights of the senate and characterized the president's reference to him as a "false and infamous slander."

Senator Borah defended the president as old Senator Smith of Michigan and several others.

When Senator Bailey arose to speak to his resolution instantly the senate broke into a roar. He was fairly started when Senator William F. Borah of Idaho challenged his allegations that President Taft had not been able to read the evidence before he wrote the famous letter of January 6, 1911, to Roosevelt. He said that he had read the letter in the president's office.

Borah insisted and sustained his point that the president had not read all the evidence. Lorimer in his speech made the same charge based on the fact that the report did not contain the president's letter until the day after the letter was written.

"I want to show just how officious and meddling the president was in this matter," Bailey declared, as he had the clerk read the letter.

He hardly uses that term now, I guess," commented Borah, evoking a titter on the senate floor.

"My Dear Theodore," was read.

He took up the letter and analyzed it.

"In God's name, has the senate of the United States reached such an unpardonable degradation," he asked.

"The senate," he said, "summoned senators to the White House to urge them to discharge their duty under their oath of office" at the part where President Taft said he had "summoned senators to the White House to urge them to discharge their duty under their oath of office."

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YANKEES SCORE TWICE

ANNEX TWO EVENTS IN CLOSING DAY OF OLYMPIAD.

Win 1,600-Meter Run and Decathlon—
Portuguese Sprinter in Marathon
Died From Sunstroke.

Stockholm, July 18.—In two of the leading events of the closing day of the Olympic games, namely, the 1,600-meter relay race and the Decathlon on Monday, the United States secured first place, while in the 800-meter swimming final, which was carried off by Australia, the United States was second, thus scoring altogether eight points.

The standing of the teams on points is now:

United States	128	Norway	10
Sweden	100	Australia	12
Great Britain	58	Italy	8
Finland	29	Hungary	8
Germany	31	Greece	4
France	21	Russia	4
South Africa	16	Belgium	3
Canada	13	Austria	3
Denmark	11	Holland	2

James Thorpe of the Carlisle Indian school performed a remarkable feat in winning the Decathlon and proved his general all-round ability as an athlete.

Gloom was cast over the spectators and participants in the games when it became known that the only Portuguese runner in Sunday's historic Marathon race, F. Lacerda, had died in the hospital. He suffered from sunstroke during the race and fell out after running nineteen miles.

The news caused great distress to the king, the crown prince and other members of the royal family.

The Bohemian runner, F. Slavik, is also in the hospital, but his condition is not considered serious.

FIVE CANDIDATES ARE NAMED

Wisconsin Democrats Also Select
Rival Men for Nomination
in September.

Milwaukee, Wis., July 15.—After an extended battle on the income tax law plank, the Democratic state convention Friday adopted a platform for the coming campaign and finished naming candidates for the five highest elective state offices, subject to the September primaries. The ticket follows:

Governor—A. J. Schmitz and J. C. Karel, both of Milwaukee.

Lieutenant Governor—Henry Molloy, Clinton; Harry W. Boles, Port Washington.

Secretary of State—Andrew P. Keely, Hudson.

State Treasurer—Nicholas Schmidt, Marshfield.

Attorney General—Charles A. Kammerling, Watertown; John F. Doherty, La Crosse.

"DRYS" NAME THEIR TICKET

Prohibition National Convention Chose
Candidates for President and
Vice-President.

Atlantic City, N. J., July 15.—Delegates of the national Prohibition convention after a 12-hour session, marked by tumultuous scenes and factional strife that threatened to split the party in two, nominated on Friday night Eugene W. Chaffin of Illinois and Arizona for president and Aaron S. Watkins of Ohio for vice-president. Chaffin and Watkins headed the party in the 1908 campaign.

Chaffin won the nomination on the first ballot with 594 votes out of a possible 867.

Watkins, the vice-presidential nominee, was nominated by acclamation after leading his competitors in two ballots.

SPARKS FROM THE WIRE

Denver, July 16.—Bishop H. W. Warren, recently rebuffed by the Methodist Episcopal church, is critically ill at his residence in University Park. He has been confined to his bed with inflammatory rheumatism for weeks.

Wytheville, Va., July 15.—The jury in the case of Charles Allen, one of the members of the Allen gang, charged with the assassination of court officers at Hillsville, Va., reported Saturday an agreement was impossible.

Posse Abandon Bandit Hunt.

Aurora, Ill., July 13.—Tried and worn out, their nerves worn to a frazzle, the posse of police, town marshals and farmers which has been on a crouching advance through the outer brush of the bog woods near Plattville, Ill., where the mysterious lad who shot at persons from a galloping pony to see them jump is supposed to be hiding, gave up and dispersed Thursday.

Are Against Cut Rates.

New York, July 17.—The express rates prescribed in the report of the interstate commerce commission will not produce enough revenue to cover the cost of business, according to a statement made by officials.

Aids \$50,000 for Husband.

New York, July 17.—Mrs. Alice Hartzell Webb has filed suit for \$50,000 damages against William Hemperley, an attorney of Massena, N. Y., charging him with alienation of her husband's affections.

Dying of Mosquito Bite.

Hammond, Ind., July 15.—Deaths among Joseph Grobarac in the face of the mosquito bite. He is lying at his home in West Hammond, Grobarac is suffering from lockjaw and physicians say he cannot recover.

Rules on Naturalization.

Washington, July 16.—Naturalization of aliens is being considered not only upon himself and his wife, but also upon all his minor children, even though none of them have ever been in this country, holds Secretary Nagel.

Man Chained for Twenty Years.

Pittsburg, Pa., July 15.—A prisoner in chains for twenty years, with his parents his jailers, is said to be the experience of an insane man who was received at the Dixmont asylum Tuesday from Indiana, Pa.

Gave \$250,000 to Democrats.

Washington, July 15.—August Belmont, testifying Tuesday before the senate committee investigating campaign contributions, gave \$250,000 as his contribution to the Democratic national campaign in 1904.

Will Watch Banks More Closely.

Washington, July 18.—Because national bank failures have been frequent recently, Comptroller of the Currency is expected to increase the number of national bank examiners in all parts of the country.

WILL TRY TO SWIM ENGLISH CHANNEL



ROSE PITONOF of Boston, America's champion long-distance swimmer, has just arrived in England and begun preparations for her attempt to swim the English channel.

FLOOD HITS DENVER

WATER SWEEPING DOWN CREEK AFTER CLOUDBURST DEVASTATES PART OF CITY.

TWO DEAD; FIFTEEN INJURED

Hundreds of Men, Women and Children Are Sheltered in City Auditorium—Telephone Alarm Saves Many From Tragic Death.

Denver, Colo., July 17.—As the result of a cloudburst which poured down the shallow bed of Cherry creek, through this city, into the South Platte river Sunday night, two are dead, 15 injured, 3,000 men, women and children homeless and \$2,500,000 worth of property is in ruins.

Frank Hill and Mrs. Lydia Rickford are known to be dead. Zoe Wallace and Albert Clay are missing, as are several others.

GOING GAMBLER IS SLAIN

Widow Charges That Accused Member of New York Police Force Killed Him.

New York, July 18.—Herman Rosenthal, proprietor of a gambling house, who was to have testified for the district attorney Whitman a story told a few days ago, charging certain police officers with grafting and oppression, is dead in a morgue here, with five bullets in his head.

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Delegates of Wisconsin Federation Gather at Sheboygan.

FAVORS POLITICAL ACTION

Organizer Weber Says Workers Must Gain Control of Government to Solve Present Problem—Boy Scouts Held Menace to Labor.

Sheboygan.—The twentieth annual convention of the Wisconsin Federation of Labor was called to order by Fred Broekmann, secretary and treasurer, with about 280 delegates in attendance. Frank J. Weber, state organizer, Milwaukee, was elected temporary chairman. Mayor Broekmann made the welcoming address.

Organizer Weber, in a report on the unemployed, said the problem would not be solved until the workers gained control of the government through a political party of their own. He urged the establishment of an eight-hour work day.

Through accurate reporting by organized labor of all cases of violation of the child labor laws, said the speaker, the first step would be taken toward correct statistics.

Organization of women and girl workers into unions for getting better conditions was urged. The subject of the minimum wage, he said, would in the near future be one of the demands made by organized labor.

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SAFETY SHOW IS IN DEMAND

Exhibit Illustrating Prevention of Accidents Now on Tour Through Badger Towns.

Madison.—The tentative itinerary for the exhibits of the industrial commission's safety devices includes these Wisconsin cities: Watertown, Beaver Dam, Stevens Point, Wausau, Merrill, Rhinelander, Green Bay, Appleton, Neosh-Menasha, Oshkosh, La Crosse, Kenosha, Port Washington, Two Rivers, Manitowish, Superior, Ashland, Chippewa Falls and Madison. An application has come from Washington, D. C. The exhibits are in charge of Factory Inspectors D. D. Evans, A. L. Kaess, Ira M. Lockney and John Humphrey. Two men accompany each exhibit.

WISCONSIN ELECTOR QUITS

Nominated as La Follette Man, But Now for Colonel—Says He Cannot Support Taft.

Menomonee.—A. C. Anderson of this city, nominated as La Follette man for presidential elector in the Tenth congressional district, today mailed to James A. Stone, Reedsburg, secretary of the Wisconsin delegation to the Republican national convention, his resignation with the request that his name be not placed upon the ticket for the reason that he could not carry his vote for Taft if elected. He was nominated as a La Follette candidate but is now outspoken for Roosevelt, and it is said he will be placed on the third party ticket for elector in this district.

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SEEN AND HEARD IN WISCONSIN

Found Du Lac—John Shea, believed to be one hundred and four is dead at his home in the town of Forest after a residence of sixty-five years in this county. Mr. Shea is survived by a widow, eighty-five years of age, by four daughters, Mrs. John Sheehan, Mrs. John Shea, Mrs. John Shea, Mrs. John Shea, and Mrs. John Shea, all of Chicago, and Katherine, residing at home; also by three sons, Anthony of Portland, Ore.; James of Milwaukee and John F. Jr.

Madison.—Mine royalties are taxable as income after deducting for depreciation. The decision by the state tax commission is the culmination of a series of hearings in which mine owners from all sections of Wisconsin appeared before the commission claiming that royalties were not income taxable under the income tax law.

Marquette.—Crop conditions in Marquette county indicate the largest yield in the history of the agricultural community. An increase of 35 per cent is expected in the potato crop for last year and dairy products will show a large advance through the operation of several new creameries recently placed on the productive list.

Oshkosh.—Based on the statements of experts at the state laboratory at Madison that the water of Oshkosh is so properly filtered it would be safe and healthy. Mayor Mulva stated that the city would compel the company to properly filter it, or one of the hottest legal fights in its history would follow.

Evansville.—A tramp fell or jumped off a passenger train north of here and was fatally injured. A note book was found on him with the following: "In case of accident notify Nevek & Nevek, attorneys at law, West Madison, Ill., in another place it stated his name was Frank Sladky."

Superior.—Carl Erickson, the three-year-old son of Andrew K. Erickson, was drowned in Spirit lake. The child's body was found after a twelve hour search near the summer cottage of which his parents are caretakers.

Monroe.—Walter Faener, aged twenty, son of John Faener, hanged himself in his uniform of the Monroe guards.

Appleton.—The army mule is downed, according to Capt. E. A. Williams, quartermaster, United States army, who had charge of the auto trucks recently tested. He said the animal which has been as important to the army as ammunition in the past is to be eventually supplanted by the auto truck.

Ashtand.—In a railroad accident near Grandview, Charles Bolter and J. Millington were seriously injured, while Albert Anderson had a rib broken and several others were injured.

Merrill.—William T. King, an old resident, was found drowned in the Wisconsin river. Mr. King has been a resident of the Wisconsin River valley for over forty years, going to Grand Rapids after the Civil war, coming to Merrill, Wis., where he was a member of the local G. A. R. post. He was interested in the Merrill railway and lighting company, as well as other industries.

Antigo.—An antique chair, belonging to one time to Governor Doty, the first governor of Wisconsin, is the contribution of J. S. Mitchell of this city to a society in Neenah which has undertaken the work of preserving the "Loggery" at Neenah, for its historic significance. The Loggery was built by Governor Doty. The governor lived there in 1835.

Racine.—The use of dynamite in killing agricultural ground will be demonstrated by an expert to be conducted by the G. W. Carter company, near Fall River. The peculiar strain of soil on the company's farm has resisted the plow and the use of the explosive is expected to prove successful.

Fond du Lac.—George Spoor, aged sixteen, a member of the Oshkosh band engaged to furnish music at Columbia park, drowned. Spoor, with two companions, swam the river channel and had started back, when he gave out.

Madison.—To wear canoelists and others of approaching storms on Lake Mendota, the United States weather bureau has arranged a danger signal, consisting of a red flag, to be shown on North hall at the university and at specified boat landings.

Fort Atkinson.—Mrs. Fred Hansen, who has been blind for eight years, in the absence of the maid, was trying to get dinner, when her clothes took fire from the kitchen stove and she was so badly burned that she died from her injuries. She is survived by her aged husband.

Racine.—The station agent of the Milwaukee road at Frankville was robbed of his gold watch and \$17 by an unknown Italian who was chased across the country by a posse of farmers, but managed to escape.

Harbors.—Harry Johnson and Burle Phillips, farmers of Richland county, were bitten by a cow supposed to have been infected with rabies. The head of the animal was sent to Madison for examination and the men probably will take the Pasteur treatment.

Ashtand.—Five workers were seriously injured and others received minor injuries when a train on the S. & E. Logging road out of Grand View was derailed. At least one, Mike Ryan, will die.

La Crosse.—Awakened by her little child who asked for something to eat, a woman, aged thirty-nine, rose and, going to the pantry in the dark, plunged through a trap door which had been left open into the cellar, breaking her neck.

Madison.—Harry Williams, who shot Patrolman George Schwartz through both arms, pleaded guilty to charge of assault with intent to commit murder and was sentenced to Green Bay reformatory for fourteen years by Judge E. Ray Stevens.

LORIMER OUSTED FROM HIS SEAT

U. S. Senate Reverses Former Decision by 58 to 22 Vote.

HOLD ELECTION FRAUDULENT

Last Stand of Deposed Illinois Senator Is Dramatic—Turns a Flood of Bitter Invective Against His Opponents—Calls His Ejection a Crime.

Washington, D. C., July 15.—Overturning the majority of its own committee and reversing the vote of March 1, 1917, the senate today took away from William Lorimer his seat as junior senator from Illinois by a vote of 55 to 23.

A member of the senate since June 18, 1899, Mr. Lorimer was declared to have been the recipient of votes secured by "corrupt methods and practices" and his election was held to have been fraudulent. Yesterday, Mr. Lorimer will pass out of the records of the senate as a member of that body, notwithstanding his more than three years' occupancy of his seat.

Facing his associates with the declaration, "I am ready," Mr. Lorimer sat in the chair and looked at his fate dejectedly. He showed the adoption of the resolution of Senator Luke Lea of Tennessee, the senate's youngest member.

The man who for three days had held the senate to close attention with his remarkable speech of defense and attack upon his enemies rose wearily from his seat and passed

back to a cloakroom door. Senators and members of the house gathered about him, grasping his hand and patting him on the back.

The final vote was upon the resolution offered by Senator Luke Lea of Tennessee, declaring the Lorimer election by the Illinois legislature in 1904 invalid. The adoption of the Lea resolution carried with it the senate's verdict that "corrupt methods and practices were employed in the election of William Lorimer" making his election invalid. The Lea resolution was as follows:

"Resolved, that corrupt methods and practices were employed in the election of William Lorimer to the senate of the United States from the state of Illinois, and that his election was therefore invalid."

The outcome of the vote was not a surprise, but the leaders of the fight against him had not estimated a greater vote than 55 to 23. Lorimer himself only once said he was not sure he would be elected. He who voted against him March 1, 1911—Senator Jones of Washington—while he lost the votes of his associate, Senator Cullom, and of Senators Curtis of Kansas, Briggs of New Jersey, Simmons of North Carolina and Watson of West Virginia.

Of the senators voting against Lorimer twenty-seven were republicans and twenty-eight democrats.

Lorimer's final summing up was dramatic. Filled with bitterness against his enemies, the Illinoisan turned up by one of the most powerful senatorial opponents. Standing in the center aisle, he shook his fist and defied them to pick flaws in his explanation of evidence collected against him.

Closing, Senator Lorimer declared that he would not resign though every vote be against him and added: "My exit will not be for fear; it will not be because I am a coward. It will be because of the crime of the senate of these United States."

17 ARE DEAD; 40 INJURED

Heavy Mail Train on Burlington Road Crashes into Overland Limited Near Chicago.

Chicago.—Fifteen persons met almost instant death, two died while being rushed to hospitals and forty persons were injured when the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy railroad, going at a speed close to sixty miles an hour, crashed into the rear end of the Overland Limited passenger train at Western Springs, Ill.

University Costs \$2,327,127.

Madison.—A financial report prepared by State Treasurer Dahl shows that during the past twelve months the University of Wisconsin spent \$2,327,127.55. One-fourth of this sum was expended for buildings.

Manitowish Claims 15,000.

Manitowish.—This city claims a population of nearly 15,000, based on the figures of the school census which has just been completed. The total children of school age in 4,843.

Lost Stanton Postoffice.

Stanton.—In a burglary raid on the Stanton postoffice, a large number of stamps were stolen but no cash secured. The safe was carried from the building and dynamited, but the combination held.

Will Teach Pupil Patriotism.

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A Live Stock State.

(By L. P. Martiny, President Wisconsin Live Stock Breeders' Association.)

Considering the many natural advantages of this state and its location with respect to the growing markets of the country, Wisconsin farmers who raise live stock are most fortunately situated. The dairymen of this state already own more pure bred Holstein and Guernsey cattle along with a substantial representation of the other dairy breeds than do the farmers and breeders of any other state in the Union. Moreover, the excellence of our herds is not surpassed anywhere.

Through intelligent co-operation one can raise cattle and other live stock, not only in the United States, but the world over, that represents the best of the best. It is not infrequently come here to see the herds. The little vicinity around Lake Mills in Jefferson county, affords an example. There even without any attempt at organized co-operation, a few herds of the breed of Holstein cattle, little by little there came a demand for their surplus and the herds and the markets have grown up together.

Although there are no conditions in Jefferson county that are not common to nearly any other county in the state, Lake Mills is known the country over for its Holsteins.

Wisconsin farmers have bred and developed some superior draft horses, but if we were producing ten times as many of these good ones, which is easily possible, we might command the buyers of the country instead of permitting them to spend a million dollars as they did last season, with the horses of France, Scotland, and other European countries.

With the breaking up of the sheep ranches of the west, Wisconsin offers the best opportunities for the sheep business of any state in the Union, and especially is this true in the northern half of the state.

Owing to the great varieties of feeds grown in Wisconsin, we are able to produce a stronger, heavier and more prolific hog than in the so-called corn belt states, and hog choppers, a dreadful disease that is working disaster to many farmers in the corn belt, is scarcely known here.

It is, however, not enough that we simply raise more live stock; we should, working together, produce more live stock of a better quality. We have a college of agriculture that is a live factor in encouraging the breeding of better stock. The farmers' institutes have carried the gospel of better stock direct to the people, and we have the Wisconsin Valley Live Stock Breeders' association, which, from now on will be a mighty force in the introduction of better breeding stock, in the formation of co-operative breeding centers and in various other ways, encouraging live stock improvement.

Instead of the cows of this state producing on the average 150 pounds of butter fat per year, by co-operative testing and breeding this might quickly be brought up to 300 pounds per cow and then the milk will be of standard, and for every pure dairy animal we have now, we should have ten.

Instead of the average farm gelding or mare weighing 1200 pounds, to 1400 pounds and valued at \$100 to \$150, we should have more horses on our farms weighing from 1600 pounds to 1700 pounds and worth to \$300 each.

Treating Bled Cattle and Sheep.

Heat in cattle is an excessive accumulation of gas in the stomach. Tap high in the left flank with a trocar and cannula or pass a stomach tube (probang) down the gullet. Give two ounces of turpentine in a quart of milk as a stomachic by the mouth or one-half pound common baking soda dissolved in a quart of warm water. Repeat injections of turpentine water are useful. Do not rub the animal, as a rupture may occur. If instruments are not at hand, tie a piece of fork handle as the handle of the probang.

Bloat in sheep appears suddenly and is often due to eating wet clover or alfalfa. Immediately administer two teaspoonfuls of aromatic spirits of ammonia or a tablespoonful of turpentine in a cup of milk as a stomachic. If relief is not sufficient, tap in left flank as above.

For Congress in This District.

Wassman Pilot.—The Pilot learns that A. J. Plowman of Elderon, this county will become a candidate on the democratic ticket for congressman of this district. This information has not been confirmed by Mr. Plowman himself but if he will consent to let his name go before the primaries there is no question but what he will receive a vote in the county and district that will surprise even himself. Mr. Plowman is one of the best known men in the district and in Marathon county. He is a man of education and a hustler and if he runs and is elected congressman of the Eighth, he will place the district on the map in such bright colors that every eye in the state at least will know there is such a district in Wisconsin, which has not been the case for many years. Mr. Plowman has represented his town on the county board for many years and has also been chairman of that body. He has represented the first district of the county in the assembly. He has held many offices of trust and always been the right man in the right place. He is a live man and has been for years on the executive board of the Marathon County Agricultural society. Mr. Plowman is the man, pre-eminent for congress in this district and he can be elected.

SOUTH ARPIN

Louis Struck and William Wintley visited at the Mathias house Sunday.

Mr. Struck, who has been visiting the past week with his son Louis, returned to his home Monday.

Mrs. Groth and daughter Paula visited at the Gust Hessler home Sunday.

Herman Kogler is here from Oshkosh visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Kogler.

Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Kohls visited at the Alward home Sunday.

NEKOOSA

(From the Times.)

Arrangements have been made with Manager Eliakim of the Port Edwards band, whereby that musical organization will give a free concert at the band stand in the Nekosca-Edwards Paper Co. park, Wednesday evening of every other week during the summer season. This is a splendid band, makes splendid music and our citizens are indeed fortunate in being given an opportunity of hearing the concerts they will give. This band will also give a free concert every Thursday evening during the same period of time, at the band stand in the village of Port Edwards.

J. O. Nelson, who has been agent for the Soo Railway Co. at Nekosca for the past eight years, has been promoted and left for his new post of duty, accompanied by his wife, last Saturday. He goes to St. Paul, Minn., and will take with him the best wishes of a large number of Nekosca friends. Mr. Nelson is succeeded here by Mr. Wm. Ryan of Milladore, who took charge of the Soo office here Saturday. Mr. Ryan comes highly recommended, and we extend him and his family a hearty welcome. They will occupy the residence vacated by Mr. Nelson.

George Crowns has taken the management of the pavilion and outcropped upon his duties last Friday night. George is a good man for the position and will see to it that everything is run according to style. We do not know who Mr. Crowns is, but understand he is a very able gentleman, whose authority is unquestioned.

PITTSVILLE.

(From the Record.)

Two horses belonging to J. Q. Daniels, south of Babcock, were killed by lightning last Thursday afternoon during the storm and the driver miraculously escaped.

The team and man were in the corn field outcropping corn with a riding cultivator when the lightning struck near, or the horses themselves, the man who was doing the driving cannot tell for sure, and killed the horses instantly, while the driver escaped injury with the exception of a slight shock from the nervousness of the bolt to him. The horses dropped in their tracks.

A seven year old son of J. L. Rich of Vedema, was badly hurt Saturday last by the falling of a tree. The little fellow was in the woods with his father and during the process of felling he got in the way of the down-falling tree and was struck in the back of the neck. It is not expected his spine is effected although he received a hard blow and was rendered unconscious for the time being.

Frank Tilley was in the city yesterday. He had recently returned from Montana where he went on a business trip and reports everything in Montana in the best of condition, crops looking fine and the general populace optimistic about it, and says there is nothing preventing a bumper crop out there this summer but hail or wind.

BIRON

Steve Rantz is now employed in the mill here as millwright.

Steve Snyder has his house fixed up again where the lightning struck it a couple of weeks ago.

The boys around the mill think it is a good thing this eight hour shift. Just like getting money from home. Miss Mary Sobush is chief cook at the Biron Hotel for Mrs. J. T. Horron and May knows how to cook too.

Our main street has been blocked up for about three weeks on account of laying the sewer pipes along the street but we have a nice boulevard running back of the new houses but you have to travel very slowly over it or you might get stuck in the mud with your car.

Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Kallish had their boy Harry baptized Sunday in the Lutheran church at Grand Rapids. John Possley drove them down in his car and after they arrived home a very sumptuous repast was served. Good luck to the boy, August.

Mr. Nilsson, the man who built the Biron Hotel, is again in the village to build the big concrete dam and to put in the new patent gates. The new dam will be about eight or ten feet west of the old one.

John Possley has a crew of men clearing out the right of way for the extension of Washington street to run by the new school house grounds. Mrs. Chas. Kallring and Miss Louise Kallring have returned to Glidden after a two weeks visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Barton.

Mrs. A. L. Akay has blood poison in the right hand. Dr. Frank Pomainville is the attending physician.

Johnny Haydock met with a very painful accident Monday noon while he was getting wood out of the river. He was trying to cut a piece of log and George Meyer was trying to assist him. Mr. Meyer went to stick the end in the end of the log and just as he struck the blow Tony put his right hand on the end of the log and the ax came down on his hand and almost cut the end off of his middle finger at the first joint. Dr. Pomainville was called and thinks he can save the finger but it will be stiff in the first joint.

Ed. Witte and wife spent Sunday in Biron with Mr. and Mrs. Chris Oleson. Ed had a nice catch of fish fourteen pike, bass and pike. Good luck Ed. Hope you will come again.

Everybody is painting their residences white. Geo. W. Mead finished the paint job. Gratia this will be the White City in the course of time—maybe, yes.

Some of our new residences will soon be ready for occupancy. The carpenters are just putting on the finishing touches but the water and sewer connections are not made yet but that will not take more than two or three months to do that little job.

Peter Dieckrich is employed on the new dam. Well Pete knows how to build a dam.

We take notice that Fred Horion Jr., is putting new roofing on his barn as we are having a little too much rain now to suit Fred.

REMINGTON

(From the Times.)

A birthday party was held at the home of Mrs. Chas. Lowe on July 20th in honor of their son's 15th birthday. Light refreshments were served to a number of people and all enjoyed a pleasant time.

Mrs. Forre, nee Mary Casey of Washington and brother Thomas arrived here last Saturday for an extended visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Casey.

Mrs. Anna Sanger and children of Nekosca were guests at the Sanger home the fore part of last week.

Wm. Adamsback was a guest at the Sanger home last week.

Mrs. Schowance and son Otto of Garey, Ind., are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Karl Kotzke this week. Mrs. Schowance is a sister to Mrs. Kotzke.

Frank Korte and Cecil Hodge of Nekosca visited at the Hass home on Sunday.

Mrs. B. P. Hass entertained her sister, Mrs. Wm. Chatsman and children of Nekosca last Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Agnes Keenan of Dexterville is visiting with friends here this week. Mrs. Martha Woelert and children of Wausau are here on an extended visit with Mrs. Woelert's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gonrich.

Miss Rose Sanger is entertaining her sister, Mrs. Rutledge and children of Milwaukee this week.

Ben Adams of Milwaukee is the guest of his sister, Mrs. Rose Sanger. C. S. Lowe was a business visitor at Grand Rapids the fore part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Lambert of Tomah were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Lowe on Sunday, July 14. A severe rain storm accompanied by thunder and lightning visited this vicinity on Thursday, July 11th, doing no damage here, but killed a team of horses belonging to J. Q. Daniels of Daly. The teamster escaped unhurt.

RUDOLPH

Mrs. George Elliott entertained the following people Sunday evening: Mr. and Mrs. John Akay Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wits and Mr. and Mrs. John Weyers and baby of Grand Rapids, also Mr. and Mrs. Louis Akay and daughter Priella of Grand Rapids. A very pleasant evening was spent.

Wm. Slattery of Grand Rapids spent a couple of days here picking berries.

Mrs. Evelyn Crockett, who has been seriously ill the past several weeks, is able to be up and around again which news will please her many friends and acquaintances. She is now enjoying a much needed vacation with her daughter, Mrs. Allie Hoover at Dexterville to remain several days.

Misses Emily and Priella Kerswill of Park Falls, who are attending summer school at Stevens Point, spent Saturday and Sunday of last week with Mrs. E. J. Marston.

Misses Ora Akay and Hattie Deidrich of Merrill were visitors at the O. Akay home recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Reinhold of Unity have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. A. Peters.

There will be an ice cream social at the John McCall home next Wednesday evening, July 31st for the benefit of the M. E. church. Tickets for ice cream and cake. Everybody cordially invited.

Mrs. J. Hams and Irma Hassell of Grand Rapids were up here Wednesday evening between the six and 9 o'clock train.

Royal Baker returned home Monday noon after spending the past week at the Nick Batelle home.

Olus Hassell of Grand Rapids came on Wednesday evening to pick berries Thursday and Friday, returning home Friday evening.

Annotta Bade and Alma Scott were shopping in your city Tuesday.

Kenneth and Mildred Bowker went to Babcock Thursday noon where they spent a couple of days with their sister, Mrs. W. Stiles.

Joe Steinberg and cousin Phillip are up here getting things straightened up in the new store.

Azrene Ratelle was at the Rapids Saturday.

There was a glorious time at the barn dance at the Batz place Saturday night. All reports a hot old time.

Mary Kojawa and Iona Ratelle were visitors in your city Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wilkins and son Forest and Miss Emily Spalenka of Stevens Point came down Saturday noon to pick berries for a few days.

Medasnos Geo. W. Baker Jr., and Chas. Wits of Grand Rapids came up Friday morning and went rasp, berrying with Mrs. N. G. Ratelle. They returned home on the evening train.

Mr. Jacoby and son Herman drove to the Rapids Thursday and took down a dressed hog.

Mr. and Mrs. John Weyers of your city spent Sunday up here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Akay and daughter Percell of your city are staying up here in the Chas. Daly home during haying time.

Dennis Conway and family of Grand Rapids called on Mrs. F. Whitman Sunday.

Mr. Ray Conlath and two children of your city are spending this week with Mrs. F. Whitman.

Dr. Jackson was called home from the hotel Tuesday during the storm, and while coming along with his umbrella he stepped on a plank which he thought was solid but which under his weight made him slip and he fell flat in the water. No serious injuries only wet clothes.

To Improve Dairy Cows.

Speaking on "Fundamental Interests in Country Life" at the ministers and church workers attending the summer school of Religion, at Madison, Dr. A. S. Alexander of the College of Agriculture, of the University of Wisconsin on July 17, 1912, offered a new and practical suggestion which deserves the immediate and earnest consideration of all who are interested in the welfare of country communities.

"It is alleged," said he, "that more than 97 per cent of the bulls in use in the dairy districts of Wisconsin are grades and scrubs. This lamentable state of affairs indicates plainly that the results of forty or more years of writing, talking, teaching, preaching and petting against the use of such undesirable males are un satisfactory and that some practical plan of actual improvement should now be introduced. Only by the general use of pure bred dairy breed bulls can dairy cows be graded up and improved in quantity and quality of milk production. The general use of such bulls and employment of better methods of feeding and management would in a comparatively short time increase the present yearly average butter production of the Wisconsin cow from 175 to 350 pounds or more. Two top crosses of pure dairy breed blood have produced a grade cow that yielded 680 pounds (10% tabs) butter in one year. Some scrubs produce only 90 pounds butter a year. The 175 pound butter cow barely pays for her board and care. The 350 pound butter cow is kept at an actual loss. Only profitable cows should be kept.

"Pure bred bulls would be used were they everywhere available. They are not available now. They should everywhere be made available. This should be accomplished by the use of creamery company capital. It would be a legitimate and profitable investment of capital.

"The parties vitally interested in this matter are the producer of milk and the buyer of milk. If the producer had better cows, sired by pure bred dairy bulls, he would make more and better milk at a greater profit. This would mean more and better supplies and better profits for the owners of creameries, cheese factories, condensing factories, skimming stations and milk distributing stations.

"The creamery and factory owners should buy pure bred bulls and maintain them where they can readily be used by their patrons. The service fees, calculated at cost, could be deducted from the patrons' creamery checks. The danger of disease being spread by the bulls would be slight and easily prevented by sanitary precautions. All male calves produced should be 'vealed.' All breeders should again be mated with pure bred sizes. Continuous grading up should be done and no cross breeding practiced.

"Such introduction of pure bred bulls would quickly eliminate grade and scrub bulls, set the right example, encourage owners of dairy herds to own and use pure bred bulls and in time lead to the ownership of pure bred dairy cows by the creamery companies. Wisconsin needs and should put into practical use every pure bred bull dairy bull produced in her domain. Hundreds of such bulls are now sold out of the state each year. The plan proposed would lead to the home use of all of the bulls we produce.

"Let us stop merely advising the cow owner to use a pure bred bull, place a pure bred bull where he can see it and then get him to use it. If this is done improvement will be sure, rapid and profitable."

KELLNER

Rev. A. Kruscho and Chas. Balke returned from Milwaukee after a week's absence.

The funeral of Fred Bueth, who died July 14th from injuries sustained by falling off from a load of lumber, took place at the Lutheran church here at 2:30 o'clock, Rev. A. Kruscho officiating. Interment took place in the Kellner cemetery.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Timm was laid to rest last Sunday in the Kellner cemetery.

Rev. A. Kruscho officiating.

The Misses Panter, Smith and Persohn of your city visited friends in our burg one day last week.

Mrs. Schulte, Mrs. Timm and Mrs. Lewis of Milwaukee visited with relatives and friends here the fore part of the week.

Master Alfred Gray is seriously ill at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gray. We all hope for an early recovery.

Miss Adella Peibach is spending some time at the Lutheran parsonage. She visited Grand Rapids friends last Sunday.

A baby girl arrived at the Frank Mahke home, July 19th.

Misses Gladys and Ruth Manroe were Wausau visitors last week.

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North Wisconsin Dairyming.

This season has brightened the prospects of dairyming in central and northern counties of the state to points more satisfactory than ever before. Winter dairyming is now being conducted on such successful lines that a late spring has little effect on the situation there, as it has elsewhere. In some sections of other states the shortage of hay and the continued lateness of the season made a great difference in the dairy profits, but the farmers of this state are learning to prepare for just such an emergency. Particularly is this noticeable on the part of the young dairymen in our upper counties. With them the silo will soon be one of the indispensable requisites of their farm operations.

The silo has moved the dairyman steadily northward, and has dotted the northern townships with butter and cheese factories, growing villages and beautiful farm houses.—Wisconsin Agriculturalist.

The Wisconsin Agriculturalist hits the nail on the head with a big hammer and a true blow in the above. The movement of the corn belt to the northward has been a thing that the public has been slow to recognize, but visitors to the upper country coming in contact with great corn fields soon learn that that section is truly in the corn belt. And when we count the acres returns we find that the yield is well up to the average of the high valued farm lands that heretofore have claimed to constitute the corn belt.

It is true that the silo has been a factor, and a profitable one, in the promotion of corn production in the upper Wisconsin counties. And it is likewise true that with the silo several kinds of early corn rank with the larger kinds in actual value. In fact in the New England states where the largest yields in the United States are recorded, the progressive farmers have largely changed from the larger and later corn to the smaller and earlier kinds. This is especially true where the silo is in use, it having been learned that the smaller kinds are more valuable than the larger.

In the upper Wisconsin counties the meadows, and especially the pastures, have been found to maintain more cows to a given acre than in other sections that have less seasonable rainfall in the summer months.

The pasturage season is commonly thought to be short, but experience has proven that good pasturage is as early in the upper country as it is in the so called "corn belt" and that good pasturage prevails even later in the upper country than farther south.

But the best evidence is in the fact that those who investigate decide in favor of the cheap lands of upper Wisconsin—and those who do not investigate are poor authorities.

Double Rigged.

The most modern typewriters are rigged for billing—and some of them for cooking.—Philadelphia Record.

Notice of Primary Election.

County Clerk's Office.

State of Wisconsin, County of Wood. Notice is hereby given that a primary election will be held on the second Tuesday of August, 1912, at 10 o'clock a.m. in the County of Wood, Wisconsin, for the purpose of nominating candidates for the following State and County offices to be voted for at the general election to be held on the 11th day of November, A. D. 1912:

A Governor, in place of Francis E. McGovern, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, A. D. 1913.

A Lieutenant Governor, in place of Thomas Morris, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, A. D. 1913.

A Secretary of State, in place of James A. Francis, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, A. D. 1913.

A State Treasurer, in place of Andrew H. Paul, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, A. D. 1913.

A State Auditor, in place of L. H. Hancock, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, A. D. 1913.

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"We's a-huntin'!" was the reply. "fo' some me if dem macaroni worms."

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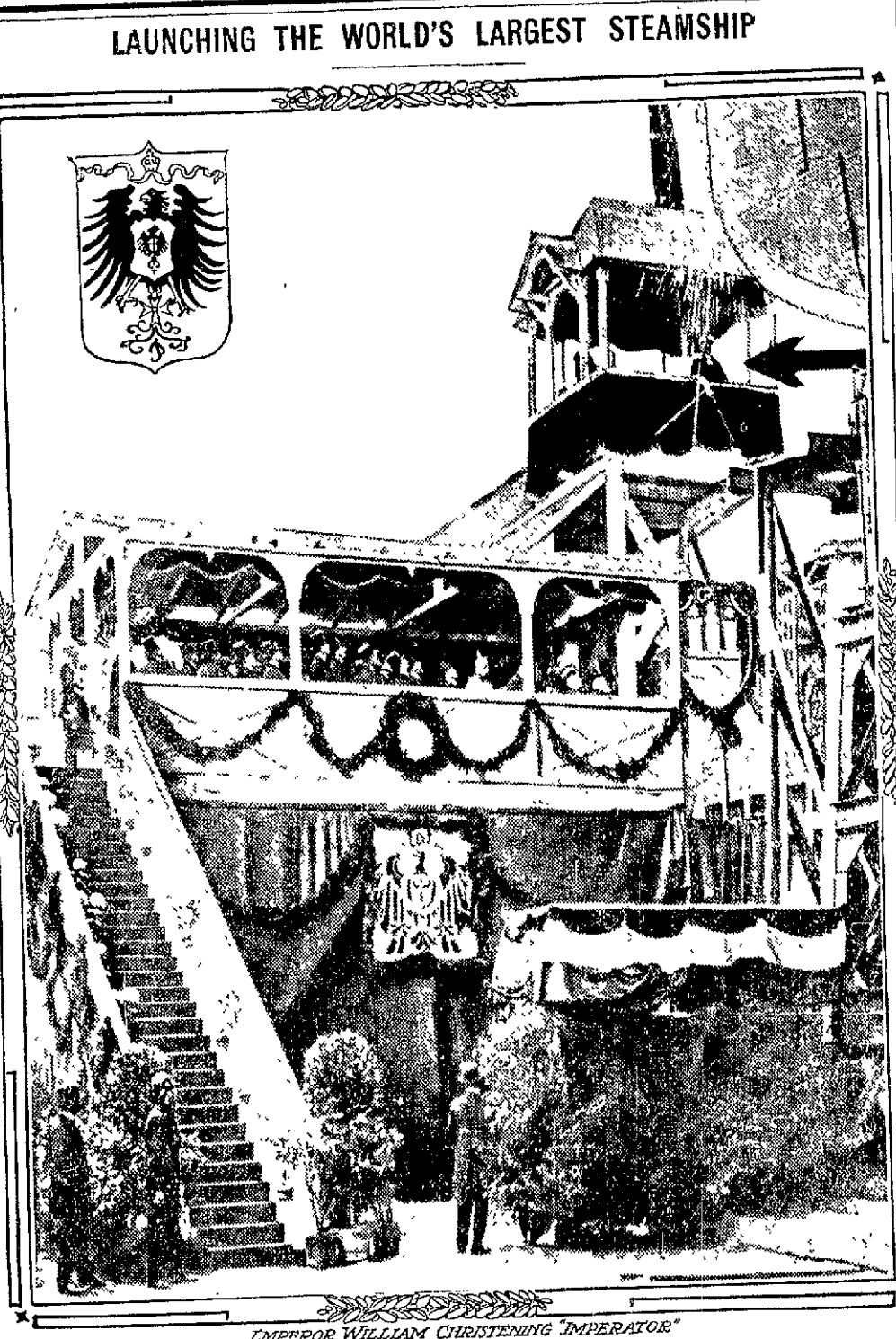
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PEACE MEET NEAR

Great Britain and Germany to Hold Conference.

Rally to Promote Better Understanding Between Nations is Called to Dispel Danger of War and Encourage Friendship.

London - A general conference for the purpose of promoting a better understanding between England and Germany is to be held here during the summer. It is being organized by a special committee representing the National Peace Council, the British-German Friendship Society and the Council of British Churches.

"A number of influential Germans are coming over to take part in the conference," said Dr. F. Evans Dary, a member of the committee, "and we hope, through the presentation of their views materially to influence opinion."

Fortune To Save Trees

Wealthy Californians Are Spending Thousands in Fighting a New Blight.

San Francisco - A considerable fortune is being spent by wealthy Cal- ifornians in an effort to save groves on beautiful estates near this city from a blight that has recently at- tacked most of the trees. Tree sur- geons are gathering here from vari- ous parts of the country and are working hard under offers of large rewards if they can stop the destruc- tion. Should they fail, it is probable that foresters will be brought from Europe.

Romance Ended by Death

American Army Officer Killed in Plane Crash Engaged to Georgia Belle.

Atlanta, Ga. - When death beckoned Lieutenant Hazelhurst recently while testing an army airplane near Washington it ended a pretty ro- mance which began when Hazelhurst first came to Georgia from West Point. Then the young lieutenant met a Georgia belle and the acquaintance ripened into love.

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Additional Hospital Beds for the Treatment of the Tuberculous Are Being Established.

Nearly 4,000 additional hospital beds for consumptives in 29 states were provided during the year ending June 1, according to a statement issued by the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis. This makes a total of over 30,000 beds, but only about one for every ten indigent tuberculous patients in this country.

In the last five years, the hospital provision for consumptives has in- creased from 14,428 in 1907, to over 30,000 in 1912, or over 100 per cent.

New York State leads in the number of beds, having 8,350 on June 1; Massachusetts comes next with 2,800, and Pennsylvania, a close third with 2,700. Alabama showed the greatest per cent- age of increase in the last year by add- ing 67 new beds to its 42 a year ago.

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RASH ALMOST COVERED FACE

Warrenton, O. - "I have felt the effects of blood poisoning for eighteen years. I was never without some eruptions on my body. The terrible itching caused me much suffering and dis- comfort, with the rubbing and scratching made it worse. Last spring I had a terrible breaking out of bil- lious sores on my arms and limbs. My face and arms were almost covered with rash. I could not sleep and lost nineteen pounds in five weeks. My face was terribly red and sore, and I felt as if my skin was on fire. At last I tried a box of Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment and I found them so cool, soothing and healing, that I got some Cuticura Soap, Cuticura Ointment, and Resolvent. I bathed with hot water and Cuticura Soap, then I applied the Cuticura Ointment every night for two months, and I am cured of all skin eruptions." (Signed) Mrs. Kathryn K. Smith, Nov. 28, 1911.

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She Was a Dueter.

Mrs. Sutton advertised for a woman to give lessons in housework, and in an- swer a colored girl called, announcing that she had come for the position.

"Are you a good cook?" asked Mrs. Sutton.

"No, indeed, I don't cook," was the reply.

"Are you a good housekeeper?"

"I wouldn't do washin' and ironin'; it's too hard on the hands."

"Can you sweep?" asked Mrs. Sutton.

"No," was the positive answer. "I'm not strong enough."

"Well," said the lady of the house, quite exasperated, "may I ask what you can do?"

"I dusts," came the placid reply. "Everybody's."

Mixture of Caution and Economy.

At the Union depot a few evenings ago a mother who had gone to see her daughter, a miles off about 18 years safely started on a journey, was heard words of advice just before the train started. "Now, good-by, my dear. Take good care of yourself and re- member not to be too free with string- ers on the train. But if a nice looking man should speak to you be polite to him - he may buy you supper for you." - Kansas City Star.

The Heirloom.

A Pittsburg drummer in a small town dropped into a place to get a bit of food. The place looked familiar, but he didn't know the proprietor.

"Bein' running this place long?" in- quired the drummer.

"No; I just inherited it from my fa- ther."

"Ah, yes. I knew him. I recognize this old cheese sandwich on the coun- ter."

True to His Trust.

"Father," asked the beautiful girl, "did you bring home that material for my new skirt?"

"Yes."

"Where is it?"

"Let me see? Wait now. Don't be impatient. I didn't forget it. I'm sure I've got it in one of my pockets somewhere."

Getting Rid of It.

Tyres - I tell you the man who takes care of his own motor car has a good deal on his hands.

Byres - Well, soap is cheap.

It makes a girl awfully ashamed to let a man kiss her without first putting up a gun shot of a bluff.

"He bit the hand that fed him" said Teddy of Big Bill. And didn't tell us if the bite had made the biter all. Now had Toastes been the subject of Bill's voracious bite. He'd have come back for another with a keener appetite.



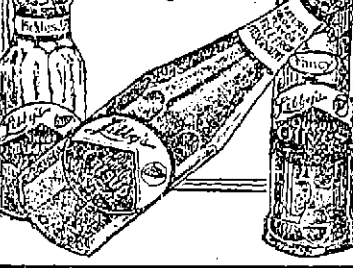
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Often Caused by Tea and Coffee Drinking.

How many persons realize that tea and coffee so disturb digestion that they produce a muddy, yellow complexion?

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A Washin. young lady tells her experience:

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John really troubled her, John felt it at once his right and his privilege to know it and seek a remedy.

It was tantalizing that he could not get straight to her—he had Aunt Martha's Sunday school boys in charge, to say nothing of the old folk from the neighborhood whom Aunt Mary had mustered must be brought to the bus meeting. Since it came off upon a Saturday rather than Sunday it owned a holiday aspect in which there was nothing of sacrifice.

The countryside for ten miles round about and almost on the feet of two villages, had come together in the big study grove running Asbury meeting house, to sit under a brush arbor fanned by winds from heaven, hear glad tidings of great joy, then between sermons eat the fat and drink the sweet and hear the news of a whole people.

Morna was looking out for the dark dinner baskets, helped by a slim dapper young fellow wholly strange. John wondered, raging only, if the dark fellow could be her perplexity. "What the mischief is that man?" he mused as if on springs. "Yes, there was something tense in his face, an edged timbre in his voice when he swung his banter right and left."

As Mrs. Ware called majestically past, John caught her arm, asking under breath with the faintest nod toward the stranger, "Who is he?"

"Why? Hasn't Morna told you? Her cousin Len—all the really blood cousin she's got in the world!" Mrs. Ware said in half whisper. "Son to her mother's brother—you know she was a Gordon. This Lenox is awful"

friendly and bright spoken, but some way—well, I wish he hadn't come."

"Don't worry," he shan't make trouble for anybody," John said stoutly, though to be sure not quite as easy. His aunt passed on with a sigh of relief. The morning service was over—the intermission was fairly a-buzz with hospitality. Yearly the basket dinner was a sort of housewifely competition. Though the baskets were spread upon common tables free to everybody, those who had fetched them made a point of seeing that their own choice edibles. Also that the poorer folk, and especially the country girls, were not slighted. John Speer and his spinster aunts were singular in their determination that God's poor should be considered when they had come to the services in God's house.

Waiting upon them, looking out for the small boys, with side efforts for Aunt Martha and Aunt Mary, kept John so occupied he could do no more than smile at Morna, until, everybody fed to repletion, the crowd began to scatter and elude for intimate gossip. Lenox Gordon had momentarily left her—John almost ran to her, caught her arm and drew her apart, saying huskily: "Tell me the trouble, dear!"

"I can't! I—I mustn't—but oh! I do wish I could," Morna answered breathlessly.

John smiled at her. "I am sure you will tell me when you can," he said. "Out with it! At once."

"I—I don't know—how to begin," Morna said flushing a little.

"It's about your cousin," John said with decision, not interrogation.

She started. "How do you know?" she asked.

"Never mind," John retorted. "Tell me what he wants."

"He wants me to—marry him—right away," Morna said with a little shudder, half closing her eyes.

John frowned. "Very naturally he does," he said. "But why such suddenness and haste?"

"I ought not to tell you," Morna said wistfully. "But, oh—I am so unhappy—yet—there seems no other way out."

"Out of what?" John demanded, his breathing short.

"Trouble," Morna whispered. "Trouble of the worst. Lenox has used money—not his own—speculated and lost it. Not so very much money—but more than he can get any other way."

"The cur!" John snapped through shut teeth. "He would beggar you to save himself."

"Not I—there would be something left—quite half my money," Morna interrupted breathlessly. "I can't stand by and see shame fall on my blood—my mother's name."

"If I were only sure he will give me back my freedom—after a little—and work the rest of his life—work honestly, to pay me."

"I have a better plan," John interrupted, his brow clearing. "I see his into your fortune, no matter who your husband may be. To save your pride, and also to save a man who may not be wholly bad, I'm quite willing to sacrifice myself. Marry me—and I engage to see Lenox through."

"Oh! I only you will take me!"—I wanted to ask you, Morna panted, her eyes shining star-wise.

John had much ado to keep from kissing her on the spot. "You are a coward," he said gravely, though his eyes danced. "You know it is leap year."

"So it is—but I had forgotten," Morna flashed at him. "Now you mention it, everything is easy. Mr. John Speer, when will you marry me?"

"As soon as we can find the presiding elder," John said, catching her hand quite openly and leading her away.

And this is how it happened that the basket meeting had a sensation—John and Morna stood up in the face of it, and were married before afternoon service.

Ton of Coal.

We have heard so much about coal during the last few months that there seems nothing fresh to say about it. But how many people know what an immense number of things can be produced from a ton of black diamonds?

You can get 1,500 pounds of coke, 20 gallons of ammonia water and 140 pounds of coal tar. If you distill the coal tar it will yield 69 pounds of pitch, 17 pounds of creosote, 14 pounds of heavy oil, 9 pounds of naphthalene yellow, 6 pounds of naphthalene, 4 pounds of naphthalol, 2 pounds of alizarin, 2 pounds of solvent naphtha, over a pound each of aniline, benzine, aniline, toluene, nearly half a pound of indigo and 8-10 of a pound of toulene.

From the last named we obtain the valuable substance known as saccharine, which is 330 times as sweet as the best cane sugar, one part of it giving a very sweet taste to a thousand parts of water. By using a ton of coal in this way you get more profit out of it than by selling it for burning.

Applied Economics.

Are you afraid to use such an unreliable piece of rope to swing the hammock? "No," replied Farmer Cottontail. "The individual must expect to make sacrifices for the general good. When that hammock breaks some one person is going to get hurt a little and over his whole life he will be a little less happy."

Why? Hasn't Morna told you? Her cousin Len—all the really blood cousin she's got in the world!" Mrs. Ware said in half whisper. "Son to her mother's brother—you know she was a Gordon. This Lenox is awful"

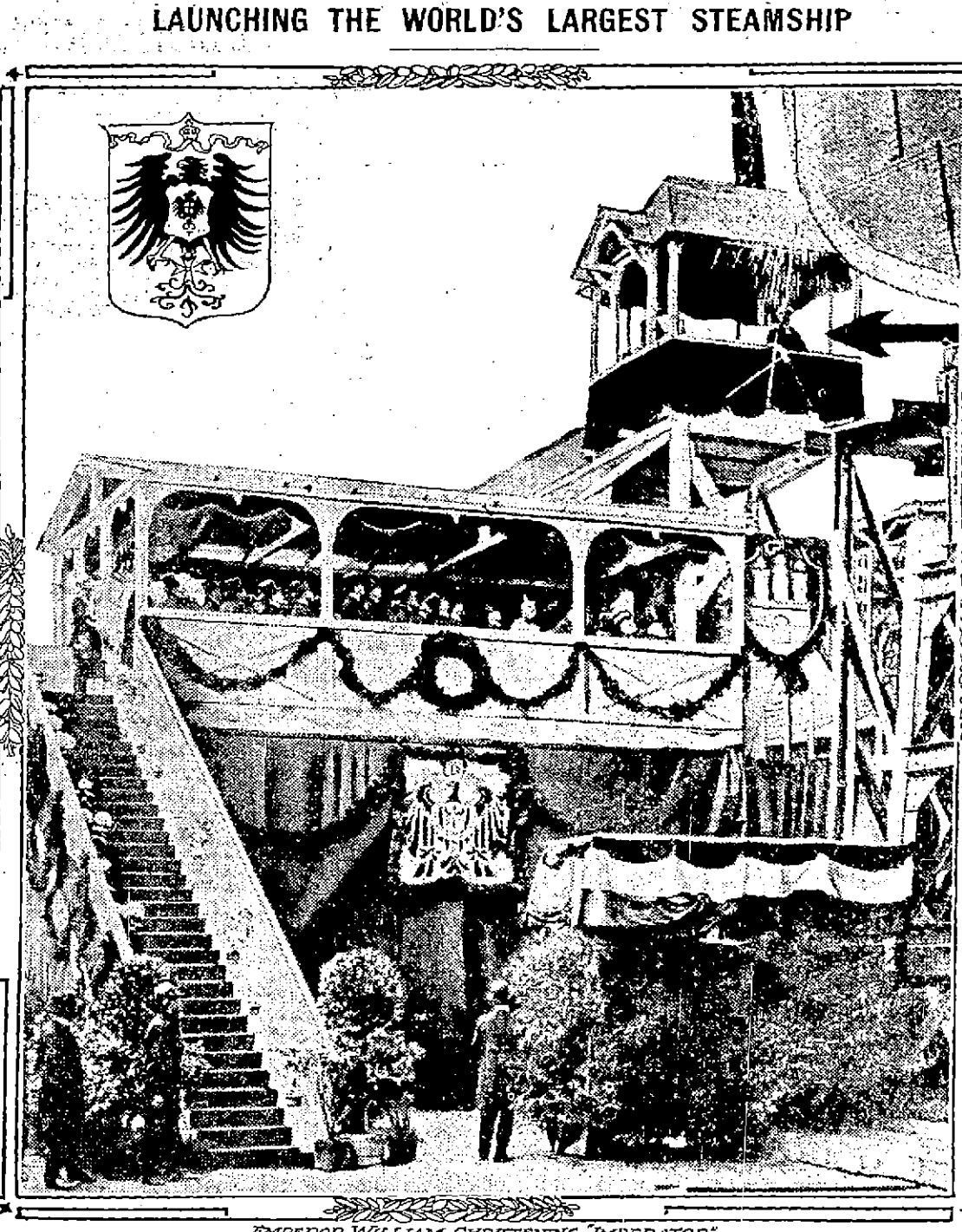
Machine Telegraphy.

By a new system of machine telegraphy three hundred words a minute can be sent.

Rendering unto Caesar.

W. B. McKinley, Illinois representative, is a magnificent chap. Some months ago he took a party of friends over his estate in Illinois. He had a special car. When it was over they all began to make a fuss over him, telling how nicely he had arranged everything for their comfort and pleasure. McKinley dragged in his superintendent, introduced him to the crowd, and "graciously" declared: "You're making a big mistake. In thanking me, here's the fellow that really did it."

As he was about to begin a speech last fall at Champaign, McKinley said: "The boys and girls I am about to give you are mine, and I stand ready to vouch for them; but the oratory, eloquence, and glowing periods are my secretary's."



THE launching of the largest passenger-steamship ever sent down the skids into the water was the occasion of a general celebration at Hamburg recently. Emperor William of Germany touched the button that released the ship and broke a bottle of champagne on the bow of the huge vessel, exclaiming: "I baptize thee by the name of Emperor." The vessel will not be ready for service for several months.

PEACE MEET NEAR

Great Britain and Germany to Hold Conference.

Rally to Promote Better Understanding Between Nations Is Called to Dispel Danger of War and Encourage Friendship.

London.—A general conference for the purpose of promoting a better understanding between England and Germany is to be held here during the summer. It is being organized by a special committee representing the National Peace Council, the British-German Friendship Society and the Council of British Churches.

"A number of influential Germans are coming over to take part in the conference," said Dr. F. Evans Darcy, a member of the committee, "and we hope, through the presentation of their views materially to influence opinion."

Kisses Break Up Church Play.

Chicago. When Miss Anne Cushe showed that she was to be the recipient of many kisses in a play given by the young women of the Ascension Roman Catholic church, in which she was to take a leading part, she refused to go on with rehearsals until the kissing scenes were cut out. Next day she was back in the play, and the kisses were not objected to being kissed on the stage, the play will be called off.

Crazed by Moth in Ear.

Lasalle, Colo.—Henry Nick, a farmer, was brought into the office of a local physician, complaining of what he called a "moth" in his ear. The doctor, after a thorough examination, discovered the fact that there was a live moth in his ear. The pain had driven him frantic and it was necessary for three men to hold him while the doctor dislodged the insect and removed the wax. The patient was still suffering from the effects of the moth.

Seven Band To Help Others

All the income from funds not necessary to help relatives will go to assist others.

New York.—In a certificate of incorporation filed with the secretary of state at Albany it is stated that Abraham, David, Joseph, Nathan, Oscar, Samuel and Simon Weinstein, all brothers, have incorporated the Weinstein family fund, for the purpose of assisting such members of their family as might in the future require financial aid.

Six of the brothers are wealthy clock manufacturers of this city, and the seventh, Nathan, is a progressive farmer, with several farms in central New York state.

At the office of the attorney for the family it was said that the seven brothers have been accustomed to set aside \$50,000 in the family fund each year. Recently the brothers decided that it would be better policy for each of the seven to contribute a certain amount each year to the family fund and use the income for the family if necessary, but otherwise to give it to some charity.

At death each brother will bequeath to the fund a certain percentage of his estate.

Auto in Race With Stork.

Atlanta, Ga.—An automobile ambulance in a race with the stork ran down Mrs. J. B. Northcutt and caused P. R. Miller to forget all about a bag containing \$538.90, which he dropped to the sidewalk when he rushed to the woman's assistance.

Another passer-by, who witnessed the occurrence, picked up the money and took it to the Third National bank, where it later was recovered by Miller. Mrs. Northcutt was accompanied by her grandchild.

Miller's quick action saved the life of the child, but Mrs. Northcutt was severely injured. The ambulance, bearing Mrs. Alice Stewart of Oakland City, a suburb, beat the stork to the hospital.

Fortune To Save Trees

Wealthy Californians Are Spending Thousands in Fighting a New Blight.

San Francisco.—A considerable fortune is being spent by wealthy Californians in an effort to save groves on beautiful estates near this city from a blight that has recently attacked most of the trees. Tree surgeons are gathering here from various parts of the country and are working hard under offers of large rewards if they can stop the destruction. Should they fail, it is probable that foresters will be brought from Europe.

The blight is in the form of a fungus known as the volearia bacteria. After it has taken hold on a tree thousands of worms develop. They are much like the carpenter borer. These gnaw the bark through and through, and sometimes make large holes. Their ravages were not detected until many of the fine shade trees wilted and died. Tree authorities of Stanford university were called in and found that the blight extended among the estates in beautiful Menlo park. They also discovered that the disease was spreading rapidly to the north.

The Stanford scientists could not tell the source of the blight, and then the surgeons from the east were called in, among them G. H. Bishop, who was trained at the Yale School of Forestry. The only thing that has served to help the trees has been to remove the fungus when found, and plug the holes made by the borers with cement.

In some instances as high as \$500 has been spent to save a single tree, and the total expense will run high into the thousands.

One theory is that the germ of the disease has been brought in from Asia, from which many trees have been imported to beautify the grounds of wealthy men. It is probable that investigators will be sent to Japan and China in an effort to trace the disease.

Pine forests throughout the north-west Pacific coast are also being devastated. A species of beetle lays its eggs in the bark of the tree. From there come grubs that grow inside the bark and feed on the tree until they become beetles which fly away to destroy other trees. Hundreds of infected pines have been cut down and state and government authorities are co-operating with lumbermen in an effort to wipe out the pest.

Wealth of Presidential Candidates.

Clinton, N.Y.—Return made to personal property assessors in Ohio shows that President Taft is worth \$74,900 and Governor Harmon \$23,350. The president is \$29,510 richer than he was a year ago, and the governor is \$18,190 poorer.

Kills Himself When He Is Sentenced.

San Luis Obispo, Cal.—When a sentence of twelve years for robbery was imposed on Jack Darby at San Luis Obispo, Cal., this week, he slashed his throat with a clasp knife and died in the court room.

The Heirloom.

A Pittsburg drummer in a small town dropped into a place to get a bite to eat. The place looked familiar, but he didn't know the proprietor.

"Been running this place long?" inquired the drummer.

"No; I just inherited it from my father."

"Ah, yes. I know him. I recognize this old cheese sandwich on the counter."

True to His Trust.

"Father," asked the beautiful girl, "did you bring home that material for my new skirt?"

"Yes."

"Where is it?"

"Let me see? Wait now. Don't be impatient! I didn't forget it. I'm sure I've got it in one of my pockets somewhere."

Getting Rid of It.

"Types—I tell you the man who takes care of his own motor car has a good deal on his hands."

Byrnes—Well, soap is cheap.

It makes a girl awfully ashamed to let a man kiss her without first putting up a box of soap.

OREGON GIRLS HIT GOTHAM

Look at New York City and Call it Devoid of Beauty—Its Women Blame.

New York.—Nine Oregon girls who reached New York from Portland after having motored about the city a few hours declared that so far as they could see New York was devoid of beauty. They are fairly new to the city, having come here for a newspaper. After two days in New York they went to Washington to meet the president, and finally to Chicago for the Republican convention.

"Eastern women," said Mrs. M. A. Hartshorn, a newspaper woman who is chaperon of the party, "are made up too much to look pretty. Even the young girls look blasé. Their faces are absolutely devoid of expression and they cannot be compared with our girls with their natural vivacity. And as for your men, they all look so delicate. Their waist lines are ever smaller than the girls'. There are no like our men, big and ovable."

One of the 50 Jingles for which the Postum Co. Battle Creek, Mich., paid \$1000.00 in May.

DR. PRICE'S

Cream BAKING POWDER

IS ABSOLUTELY HEALTHFUL

Its active principle solely grape acid and baking soda. It makes the food more delicious and wholesome.

The low priced, low grade powders put alum or lime phosphates in the food.

Ask Your Doctor About That

STATES AWAKING TO DANGER

Additional Hospital Beds for the Treatment of the Tuberculous Are Being Established.

Nearly 4,000 additional hospital beds for consumptives in 29 states were provided during the year ending June 1, according to a statement issued by the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis. This makes a total of over 30,000 beds, but only about one for every ten indigent tuberculous patients in this country.

In the last five years, the hospital provision for tuberculous has increased from 14,428 in 1907, to over 36,000 in 1912, or over 100 per cent. New York state leads in the number of beds, having 8,350 on June 1; Massachusetts comes next with 2,800; and Pennsylvania, a close third with 2,700.

Alabama shows the greatest percentage of increase in the last year by adding 67 new beds to its 42 a year ago. Georgia comes next with 109 beds added to 240 a year ago. New York has the greatest numerical increase, having provided over 1,500 additional beds in the year.

Living Up to Its Name.

"How do people mean to fill your new song, 'The Aeroplane'?"

"Just carried away by it."

Stop the Pain.

The best of a burn or a cut when "Cuticura" is applied. It soothes, cures and prevents scars. Get the Cuticura Soap and Ointment by The Paxton Toilet Co., Boston, Mass.

Seemed Like More.

The Professor—in 140 wags' heels there are an average of 25,000 insects. The Student—Why, professor, I disturbed just one nest one day, and 171 but there were more than 25,000 in that one!

Important to Mothers.

Examine carefully every bottle of CUTICURA Soap and Ointment for infants and children, and see that it bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Williams* in Use For Over 30 Years. Children Cry for *Elsie's Castoria*.

The Moon's Offspring.

Looking out of the window one evening, the little child saw the bright full moon in the eastern sky, and, apparently, only a few inches from it, the beautiful Jupiter, shining almost as brightly as the moon itself. Marie gazed intently at the spectacle for a moment, and then her mother exclaimed: "Turning to her mother, she said: 'Oh, mother, look! The moon has laid an egg!'"

'Twas a Pretty Thing.

The young man produced a small, square box from his pocket. "I have a present for you," he began. "I don't know whether it will fit your finger or not, but—"

"Oh, George!," she broke in, "this is so sudden! Why, I never dreamed—"

But just then George produced the gift—a silver chain and it fell suddenly cooler in the room.—*Ladies' Home Journal*.

Her Ruling Passion.

The woman who had chanced dust and dirt all her life finally reached St. Peter.

"Come in, you poor, tired woman," he said, and held the gate ajar. But the woman hesitated.

"Tell me first," she said, "how often you clean house."

The saint smiled. "You can't shake off the ruling passion, can you?" he said. "Oh, well, get inside and they'll give you a broom and dustpan instead of a harp."—*Cleveland Plain Dealer*.

Simple Explanation.

To illustrate a point that he was making—that his was the race with a future and not a race with a past—Booker T. Washington told this little story the other day.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL

Mrs. Leo Schlatterer returned on Monday from a visit at Seaboard.

—**FOR SALE**—Registered Guernsey bull, W. E. Morrish, R. R. 5, 42nd.

Miss Emma Ranth departed on Tuesday for a visit with her sister in Chicago.

H. E. Frisbie of Finn River is paying a short visit to his brother-in-law, A. McMillan.

Mrs. Tom Gains and son of La Crosse are guests at the Frank Collier home this week.

—Look over the advertisement concerning peaches by the Johnson & Hill Company.

Miss Lulu Hansen returned on Sunday from a two weeks visit with her sister in New London.

Dr. O. T. Hengen and Morrill were in Waupun on Friday where they attended a medical meeting.

R. F. Matthews returned last week from Chicago where he had been taking a course in ladies tailoring.

Mrs. T. E. Mallon and sons Ray and Howard returned on Monday from a week's visit in Green Bay.

The Grand Rapids Cubs will play a game of baseball with the Racine club tomorrow at Northland next Sunday.

—**FOR SALE**—Grass on the land for hay. It separates 40 acres from three miles west of Grand Rapids. Most all at once. E. G. Minnick, at office of L. M. Vaughan.

—Good opportunities to exchange farms for Oshkosh or Fond du Lac properties. For particulars call on M. L. Giesburg, 111 Third Ave. N.

—Call on W. M. Taylor at the Hotel Julian about buying a house and lot on easy terms. It will pay you to do this at once.

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—**FOR SALE OR TRADE**—A good grocery and crockery store in Fond du Lac, near location. Will sell cheap or trade for farm. Inquire of M. L. Giesburg, 111 Third Ave. N.

Friendship Press—A large rattlesnake four feet long and having thirteen rattles was sent to the village Sunday by H. E. Fuller, who killed it on his farm in Eastern. It is reported that they are still quite numerous on what are known as the Clinton bluffs in that town.

Market Report.

Wheat, No. 1, 1.25; No. 2, 1.20; No. 3, 1.15; No. 4, 1.10; No. 5, 1.05; No. 6, 1.00; No. 7, .95; No. 8, .90; No. 9, .85; No. 10, .80; No. 11, .75; No. 12, .70; No. 13, .65; No. 14, .60; No. 15, .55; No. 16, .50; No. 17, .45; No. 18, .40; No. 19, .35; No. 20, .30; No. 21, .25; No. 22, .20; No. 23, .15; No. 24, .10; No. 25, .05; No. 26, .00.

For Better Things.

Troubles are often the tools by which God fashions us for better things.—Henry Ward Beecher.

WOOD PULP PAPER.

Forced into Use by the Scarcity of Rag Stock.

In the early days of printing it was hardly possible to employ anything but first class paper in making books, for the reason that wood pulp and rag pulp paper had not then come into use. At that time good cotton and linen rags were turned into fine, firm, pure white paper, well able to withstand indefinitely the yellowing and disintegrating effects of time.

As the increase in demand for printing paper grew, it was soon found that there were not enough rags to go round. Thus wood pulp came into use.

All vegetable fiber is suitable for paper making, whether it be obtained from rags, wood, esparto grass, straw or other substances. When these fibers are torn apart they are clogged with gum, a substance that must be thoroughly dissolved and washed away by chemicals if the best results are to be obtained.

Wood pulp paper is made of finely ground wood, usually spruce, the grinding being done with a heating engine, run at high speed, and huge stones between which the wood is reduced to a kind of pulp. This pulp is made up into paper without any preliminary removal of the gum or other deleterious ingredients.—Harper's Weekly.

ELECTRIC FOGHORNS.

Which May Be Blown Without Effort by Pressing a Push Button.

The time honored foghorn and still the one most common use on merrymaking boats is the one that you push to your lips and blow. Tolerably hard work blowing a foghorn.

Bigger foghorns for larger boats are set in a box, the box containing a bellows by which the horn is blown. Attached to the bellows is an outside lever by means of which the bellows is operated by hand. A lot of noise this foghorn makes, to be heard for a considerable distance.

There are now made, used on many power boats and yachts, electric foghorns the operating of which calls for the exercise of neither lung nor hand power. In these horns there is attached, enclosed at the smaller end, a metallic diaphragm to which is connected an electric coil which when electricity is turned into it vibrates the diaphragm and sounds the horn. Electricity is supplied from a storage battery or from current generated on the boat if it is electrically equipped. To blow an electric foghorn you simply press a button.—New York Sun.

—**Robbing Peter to Pay Paul?**—That proverbial robbing Peter to pay Paul arose from the way in which the dean of Westminster was treated at the time of the reformation. As about he had been an independent dignitary, but as dean he was placed under the authority of a specially created bishop of Westminster. This device after existing for ten years was merged in the see of London, and many of the domains of St. Peter's abbey passed into the hands of the chapter of St. Paul's cathedral, thus giving rise to the new familiar saying: "It was by a hard struggle," writes Dean Stanley, "that the abbey was saved in those tempestuous times. Its dependency of the priory of St. Martin's in Great was torn to pieces, and its outlying domains to the east of Westminster were, it is said, sacrificed to the Protector Somerset to induce him to forbear from pulling down the abbey itself."—London Chronicle.

THE TWO DETECTIVES

By WARREN GRANT FOX

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I was sitting in a railway station waiting for a train. A man sat near me, but I didn't look at him. All I remembered afterward was that he was a man. Presently I turned and saw on the seat where he had been a rectangular package. I looked about for its owner, but could see no one who appeared to have missed it. I took it up, not doubting for a moment that the person who had left it would come back for it. But although I remained there some time no one came. Then I opened the package, which proved to be a box containing jewelry. It was plain to me that they were of considerable value.

While I was looking at them two men came up to me. Seeing them approach, I closed the box, but they told me to open it, and as soon as they saw its contents congratulated each other on finding it, as they expressed it, "the Huntington jewels."

They believed the story I told them of how I had come across them. "If they said," they said, "the man who stole them would not be examining them in a public place." They had received orders to watch this station for the thief, and he, doubtless suspecting that he would not be permitted to leave it without being searched, in order to avoid being caught with the plunder on him had left it on the seat.

"Let us not like friends meet by chance," said one of them, "for the fellow is doubtless watching us. His intention being to shadow you and take you out of them."

So I put the box in my pocket, and the two men went away. I remained a few minutes longer, then left the station and went home. I was quite sure I was followed not only by the thief, but by the two detectives, but whether the former knew anything about the latter I did not know. I had been at home ten minutes when there was a ring at my doorbell and the detectives entered.

"Well," said the spokesman, "I take you may at once turn in the jewels. The detective has marked your house and will try, either by diplomacy or stealth, to get possession of them. You'd better be prepared for him tonight; he may break in to your house and try to get them by force."

"I'm always prepared for such things," I replied, "pulling the drawer from a cabinet, I took up a six shooter."

"Good for you," said one of the men. "I don't think any one breaking into your house will get much. Let me have the jewels. I'll take them to the police station, and if you'll call tomorrow I dare say you'll be paid a handsome reward by the owner."

"All right," I replied, "but you must give me some evidence that you're authorized to receive them."

"Authorized," said the spokesman. "We have found you in possession of the property, and it's our duty to run you in with the jewels. But you've told us straight a story that we don't wish to inconvenience you. If you don't give up the stolen goods we'll have to take you along."

"I'll go with you willingly," I said. For the first time a suspicion came to me that possibly those detectives might put me in a hole. When I said that I would go willingly they gave each other a look. It seemed to me that they didn't wish me to go with them; they preferred to take the jewels themselves. They went into another room for consultation. They were not detectives, but very likely had themselves stolen the jewels, that they had feared arrest and had taken this method of getting their plunder out of the station. When they returned I had slipped the revolver up my sleeve. One of them stepped to the telephone and called for a carriage.

Now, if he had called for a police patrol wagon I should have known that he was a bona fide officer. As it was, I knew he wasn't; that they were going to pretend to take me in a carriage to a station, but really to secure the jewels on the way.

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SURGEONS' FEES.

Pretty Big Sometimes, But Then There Is Another Point of View.

I have a warm spot in my heart for the big American surgeons, and a writer in the New York Telegraph, and because of regular attendance for years at some of the most famous clinics in this and other cities I have been a witness of their unadvised charity—acts of mercy and kindness which were never heard of outside the walls of the hospitals they honor by their services.

I knew a wealthy man whose daughter was suddenly stricken and whose life was saved by the attending surgeon. His fee was \$25,000. Straightway the father smiled a wall.

"It's robbery," he said. The surgeon stood firm.

"Your daughter's life is worth \$25,000 to you," he countered. There was no denial.

"Well, this fee means that I can operate on fifty persons without any charge, and if you don't like it you can force me to sue, but I will get it without a suit or you will stand a lot of publicity."

And he got the money without recourse to a court of law.

It is safe to mark it down when you see a story of some great surgeon who has charged a high fee that there are many of his patients enjoying good health and relief from pain because he charged them nothing at all.

THE CLANRICARDE PLAQUE.
A Famous Specimen of the Sixteenth Century Goldsmith's Art.

One of the greatest cinquecento jewels in the world is the Clanricarde plaque, owned by Lord Clanricarde, who is known as the "hermit peer" and who claims direct descent from the king of the Clans. He guards with jealous care this precious example of the goldsmith's art, keeping it safe from possible thieves and the common gaze in a bank vault, to which he goes occasionally with great secrecy, to look at it with his own eyes.

The plaque is a diamond set, and is composed of a mass of perfectly matched steel white stones, and a superb blue diamond scintillates from the hit. The great owner inherited it from his mother, who was a Miss Gunning before her marriage to the Irish lord, and the plaque is practically priceless. Aside from its value to collectors and its worth as a specimen of rare and exquisite art, it is encrusted with a fortune in jewels.—New York Press.

"Clipping Sunday."
At Paiswick, in Gloucestershire, the Sunday following Sept. 8 is called by the curious name of "Clipping Sunday" and connected with a quaint custom. In the churchyard are almost nine new trees, and tradition says that all attempts to complete the hundredth planting another year has failed because the newcomer invariably dies. Every year before the feast of the Nativity of Our Lady—Sept. 8—these mystic yews are clipped, and the Sunday "in the octave" thus becomes "Clipping Sunday." After service there is a procession of parishioners around the churchyard, and then all join hands and form a ring round the church. Finally they gather at the foot of a flight of steps leading to the church door, from which a sermon is preached.—London Chronicle.

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Who Said We Couldn't?
Why can't we appreciate the more generous lines of the elderly woman's proportions as fully as the immature proportions of the girl? Why can't we see that one is really as beautiful as the other?—Edna K. Woolley.

PAT

By CARROL H. PIERCE

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I was tramping in Switzerland. I set out one morning from Vevey on the road to Geneva. I was walking along enjoying the beautiful prospect about me—Lake Lemano and white Alpine peaks in the distance—when ahead of me I saw a figure topped by a conical hat, a greenish coat and knee breeches. Over his shoulder he carried a staff, to an end of which was slung a handanna handkerchief, evidently containing the wayfarer's luggage. "Upon my word," I said to myself, "if there isn't a son of the Eberhard here tramping along here in Switzerland."

There is a kinship among those who speak the same language that comes out when they meet in foreign lands. It was this feeling that induced me to approach my man. I reached the man. When I did so he turned toward me a good natured face and on seeing that I was amused at his appearance said jauntily:

"The top of the morning to you, sir."

"And how did you know my name was Pat?" he asked.

"Oh, your green slanders are all either Pat or Mike. I had an even chance of hitting your name."

"You're not English," he rejoined, "and you're not a colonist. I know that by your talk."

"I'm an American. But what the deuce are you tramping for here in Switzerland—looking for a chance to carry mortar to the top of some new building?"

"Where there's a fellow to do all the work?"

My reply to this was a smile. The man puzzled me. His brogue was not so broad as that of an Irish peasant. And why an Irish peasant should be looking for a job in Switzerland I could not conceive.

Whether it was that I longed for the companionship of one who spoke a common language or because there was something very much alive with my fellow tramping I don't know, but I was in no hurry to part with him. Coming to a village, we sat down together at a table in the grounds of a hotel on the margin of the lake and ordered a hooch.

As the white, frothy sparkling with wit and humor, so that I was very agreeably entertained. I undertook to pay for his lunch as well as my own, but he wouldn't have it. I insisted that it was a low price for me to pay for a rare and exquisite art, it is encrusted with a fortune in jewels.—New York Press.

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MOURNING CUSTOMS.

They Are Very Ancient, and Experts Differ as to Their Origin.

The origin of going into mourning was discussed recently by a body of anthropologists. Some students hold that the wearing of black was originally a disguise assumed as a protection from the dead persons' spirit. The idea was that the deceased was naturally disgusted to find himself dead and that he wreaked his resentment upon his relations. Therefore the relations thought that to alter their appearance would be a means of escape, and all over the world veils were used to hide the faces of mourners—a practice still surviving in the impenetrable veil of the widow.

The disguises mourners used—such as the veil, the turning of the clothes inside out and the shaving of the head, as practiced by the Ainos—were simple enough, but supernatural beings were always, it appeared, easy to trick.

Another theory of mourning was that it was put on to warn people that the wearers had been contaminated by death. There was an idea of pollution attached to the great mystery. All early people shared the horror of death and the fear of the return of the spirits. Thus in the Sudan widows sprinkle their food with ashes to prevent their husbands' ghosts from eating it.—Exchange.

THE ALEUTIAN ISLANDS.
They Extend East and West Far More Than a Thousand Miles.

Few persons are aware that the shortest route from San Francisco to Japan by way of Alaska, nearly a thousand miles, are saved to vessels trading with the Orient by coasting along the Aleutian Islands rather than following the Hawaiian route.

The Aleutian Islands, which extend in a chain east and west for more than a thousand miles, are inhabited by the remnants of the Aleuts. Their war of the revolution closed just as the American Revolutionary war began. So patriotic were the Aleuts, so brave in their struggle for independence, that they refused to accept of nearly fifty years, and then simply because the race was almost exterminated in the struggle.

While the Aleutian Islands must eventually form an important link in the chain between the United States and the Orient, other islands link our country with the vast empire to the north. In the narrow Bering strait lie two little islands, one occupied by Russia, the other by the United States, so that the cities of the two great nations live on respective islands within a few miles of each other.—New York Press.

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Name Saved Him.

A man brought before the court in Biddeford, Me., on a charge of vagrancy, when asked by the judge to give his name, answered, "David Gohome." The judge contracted his brows. "Your last name again?" he asked. "Gohome," was the reply. "All right, go ahead," said the judge, "that's a new one on me."

Of Course They Worried.

"What's the charge against this man?" asked the judge. "No desire to your honor," replied the lawyer in the cause, "to have him tried for insanity. His family is greatly worried about him."

"What has he done?" "He has sold his automobile for the purpose of raising money with which to pay an honest debt."—Chicago Record-Herald.

Can't Be Done.

A New York railroad has installed "whispering whistles" on its locomotives, but unfortunately the alcohol of installing them on office boys seem too great to surmount.

But beware of the Sheriff. Nothing succeeds like a failure, so discreetly managed.—Exchange.

Clearing Sale on Summer Goods Remnants and Broken Lines

Owing to the unseasonable weather, we have on hand to many Summer Dresses, Skirts, Waists, petticoats, Lawns, etc., which we are determined to clear out rapidly at a big sacrifice. Space does not permit us to mention all the bargains, following is only a partial list.

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\$4.25 white lawn dress	2.98
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\$13.75 white lawn dress	5.98
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\$14.50 tan silk Rajah dress	6.98
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